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Sir:

- I, Jacqueline F. Mahoney, declare and affirm as follows:
- 1. I am an agent for the applicant.
- 2. The floppy disc which accompanies this Declaration contains the required sequence listing.
- 3. The sequence listing recorded on said disc matches the hard copy of the sequence listing submitted herewith.
- 4. The present submission contains no new matter relative to the application as originally filed.

Respectfully submitted, Perkins Cole LLP

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